

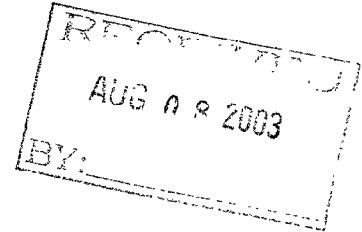


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August 1, 2003



Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our Grapeseed Extract supplements under the Radiance label:

Ingredients: Grape Seed Extract, trans-Resveratrol, Citrus Bioflavonoids

- Supports Antioxidant Protection
- Research studies have shown that Grapeseed Extract protects our cells from the cell-damaging effects of free radicals.
- Citrus Bioflavonoids and Resveratrol possess beneficial antioxidant properties.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,


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